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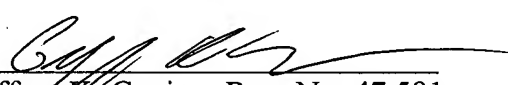
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Please enter the following amendments to the claims and consider the following remarks in response to the Office Action mailed January 12, 2006 (the “Action”).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of January 30, 2006 Interview begins on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.